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INDIA								United Provinces—Contd.							
CHOLERA				SMALLPOX				PLAGUE				Typhus			
Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths
INDIA								United Provinces—Contd.							
East Punjab								Banda Distt.	25	15	..	..	..	..	..
Hissar Distt.	43	21	6	1	..	..	..	Bara Banki Distt.	27	11	..	..	..	..	..
Rohtak Distt.	8	7	..	..	..	..	..	Barilly Distt.	16	10	..	..	..	..	..
Gurgaon Distt.	41	28	..	..	..	..	..	Basti Distt.	63	22	..	..	..	..	..
Karnal Distt.	26	16	..	2	..	..	..	Bulandshahr Distt.	6	9	..	..	..	..	..
Ambala Distt.	12	6	2	1	..	..	..	Banaras Distt.	..	..	5	2	..	..	..
Ferozepore Distt.	14	9	..	..	..	..	..	Dehra Dun Distt.	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Jullundur Distt.	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	Deoria Distt.	21	20	7	..	..	..	..
Ludhiana Distt.	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	Etah Distt.	10	4	..	..	..	..	..
Amritsar Distt.	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	Etawah Distt.	12	2	..	..	..	..	..
Total	144	87	15	5	..	..	..	Farrukhabad Distt.	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Total for w/e 10-7-48	389	199	18	8	..	..	..	Faizabad Distt.	7	5	13	3	..	..	..
Total for w/e 3-7-48	324	196	29	13	..	..	..	Garhwal Distt.	..	..	6	1	..	..	..
Total for corresponding week of last year	..	..	11	7	..	..	..	Gonda Distt.	43	18	..	..	..	..	..
Delhi Province								Ghaziपुर Distt.	6	3	8	5	..	..	..
(For w/e 10-7-48)								Gorakhpur Distt.	18	11	7	4	..	..	..
Delhi City	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	Hamirpur Distt.	40	25	2	2	..	..	..
Delhi Notified Area	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	Hardoi Distt.	4	1	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	Jalaun Distt.	106	73	..	..	..	..	..
Total for w/e 12-7-48	15	4	4	4	..	..	..	Jaunpur Distt.	5	10	7	1	..	..	..
Total for w/e 5-7-48	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	Jhansi Distt.	23	18	..	..	..	..	..
Total for the corresponding week of last year	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	Kanpur Distt.	30	9	2	1	..	..	..
United Provinces								Lucknow Distt.	8	3	5	1	..	..	..
Agra Distt.	42	14	..	..	..	..	..	Malupuri Distt.	88	39	..	..	..	..	..
Allahabad Distt.	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	Meerut Distt.	8	4	..	..	..	..	..
Almora Distt.	13	13	..	..	..	..	..	Mathura Distt.	30	11	..	..	..	..	..
Azamgarh Distt.	48	25	..	..	..	..	..	Meerut Distt.	60	27	..	..	..	..	..
Bahraich Distt.	29	12	..	..	..	..	..	Sitapur Distt.	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Ballia Distt.	34	12	11	1	..	..	..	Sultanpur Distt.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	835	431	78	21	..	..	..	Saharanpur Distt.	4	2	1	..	..	..	..
Total for w/e 10-7-48	1,036	575	106	28	..	..	..	Unnas Distt.	8	2	..	..	..	..	..
Total for w/e 3-7-48	1,531	788	159	45	..	..	..	Total	835	431	78	21	..	..	..
Total for the corresponding week of last year	565	275	63	28	..	..	..	Total for w/e 10-7-48	1,036	575	106	28	..	..	..
								Total for w/e 3-7-48	1,531	788	159	45
								Total for the corresponding week of last year	565	275	63	28

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CHOLERA				SMALLPOX				PLAGUE				TYPHUS			
Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths	Attacks	Deaths
<i>Baroda State</i>								<i>Jammu & Kashmir States</i>							
Total	5	2	7	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<i>Mysore State</i>								<i>Kathu Distt.</i>							
Bangalore Distt.	2	..	8	6	..	..	..	8	8	..	..	..	..
Chitaldrug Distt.	3	..	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Hassan Distt.	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kolar Distt.	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mandya Distt.	3	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mysore Distt.	11	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shimoga Distt.	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tumkur Distt.	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	1	2	9	1	33	16	..	..	..	8	8	..	..	1	..
								<i>Hyderabad State</i>							
								<i>Return not received</i>							
								<i>Grand total for Indian States</i>							
								<i>Grand total for India & Indian States</i>							
								5053 2247 715 172 63 22 3 2							

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NEW DELHI, 3 (INDIA);
The 17th August, 1948.

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TODAY'S SAFEST AND MOST PROFITABLE INVESTMENT

Statement showing births and deaths from principal diseases in towns with a population of over 30,000 in the province of India and some of the Indian States for the week ending the 17th July 1948.

Name of town	Mid-year estimated population (1948)	Births	Birth rate (annual)*	Deaths from :—							Total deaths (all causes)	Death rate (annual)*
				Cholera	Smallpox	Plague	Fevers	Dysentery and diarrhoea	Respiratory diseases			
A.—INDIA												
East Punjab												
Hissar	31,141	12	20.1	..	..	..	10	2	..	13	21.8
Bhiwani	49,832	42	43.9	..	..	..	14	..	1	17	17.8
Rohtak	57,615	19	17.2	..	..	..	7	..	..	11	10.0
Rewari	33,900	18	27.7	..	..	..	..	1	1	4	6.2
Karnal	45,386	9	10.3	..	..	..	6	2	..	13	14.9
Panipat	41,445	2	2.5	..	..	..	1	1	..	3	3.8
Ambala	50,640	8	8.2	..	..	..	1	1	2	6	6.2
Hoshiarpur	41,666	12	15.0	..	..	..	5	..	..	6	7.5
Jullundur	137,861	29	11.0	..	..	..	13	..	..	13	4.9
Ludhiana	143,209	26	9.8	..	..	..	9	..	5	16	5.8
Moga	32,265	8	11.8	..	..	..	2	..	1	4	5.9
Ferozepur	46,214	10	11.3	..	..	..	3	1	1	8	9.0
Fazilka	35,449	2	2.9	..	..	..	2	..	1	3	4.4
Amritsar	482,252	96	10.4	..	1	..	9	11	32	106	11.4	
Batala	52,708	17	16.8	1	..	..	10	2	1	13	12.8
TOTAL	1,284,583	310	12.5	1	1	..	92	21	45	136	5.5	
Delhi Province												
Delhi City	649,676	233	18.6	..	..	..	28	8	30	150	12.0
New Delhi	114,911	72	32.6	..	..	..	9	2	6	53	24.0
TOTAL	764,587	305	20.7	..	..	..	37	10	36	203	13.8
United Provinces												
Sitapur	84,532	24	36.3	..	..	..	7	..	..	11	16.7
Lucknow	432,521	271	32.8	1	1	..	51	8	28	150	18.1	
Kanpur	508,849	321	27.6	1	1	..	78	20	16	211	18.1	
Agra	295,413	349	61.8	5	1	..	3	24	69	179	31.7	
Banaras	295,865	212	37.5	..	7	..	85	14	11	165	29.2	
Allahabad	299,268	110	19.2	..	1	..	1	1	25	49	8.6	
Bareilly	214,516	156	38.0	..	..	..	26	12	34	89	21.7
Moradabad	165,771	95	30.0	..	..	..	..	7	21	55	17.3
Meerut	136,249	114	43.7	..	..	..	6	..	9	23	8.8
Koel-Aligarh	133,760	52	20.8	..	..	..	7	2	7	23	9.0
Sahjahanpur	125,250	65	27.1	..	..	..	23	1	3	40	16.7
Baharanpur	125,400	75	31.3	..	..	..	20	4	2	59	24.6
Jhansi	83,626	63	39.4	..	..	..	24	..	2	34	21.8
Mirzapur Vindhyaclal	78,101	52	34.8	..	..	..	9	1	3	22	14.7
Mathura	88,545	81	47.8	..	..	..	1	2	17	26	15.4
Faizabad-Ayodhya	55,215	47	44.5	..	..	..	3	3	2	15	14.2
Gorakhpur	103,020	61	31.0	1	4	..	13	1	6	36	18.3	
Farrukhabad-cum-Fatehgarh	61,839	38	32.1	1	..	..	11	5	..	27	22.8
Etawah	57,639	49	44.4	1	..	..	9	2	7	27	24.5
Budaun	56,982	37	34.0	..	..	..	14	1	3	20	18.4
Amroha	64,031	49	40.0	..	..	..	3	2	2	23	18.8
Sambhal	60,920	62	53.2	..	5	..	14	3	1	32	27.5	
Dehra Dun	69,481	20	15.9	1	6	..	8	..	2	24	18.1	
Hathras	52,281	64	64.0	..	..	..	11	2	0	31	31.0
Jaunpur	50,084	24	25.1	..	..	..	5	..	2	13	13.6
Pilibhit	50,444	26	26.9	..	..	..	7	1	4	19	19.7
Muzaffarnagar	55,125	26	24.7	..	..	..	8	..	2	12	11.4
Bahraich	44,495	25	29.4	2	..	..	5	1	1	13	15.3
Hardwar Union	46,352	19	21.4	..	..	..	10	3	2	27	30.5
Khurja	38,383	25	34.1	..	..	..	1	..	1	9	12.3
Ferozabad	52,144	18	18.0	..	1	..	7	..	..	8	8.0
Hapur	40,092	35	45.0	..	..	..	6	4	2	12	15.6
Ghaziipur	34,135	16	24.5	..	..	..	6	2	1	15	23.0
Balrampur	47,048	18	20.0	..	..	..	7	..	..	9	10.0
TOTAL	4,157,326	2,699	33.9	13	27	..	494	126	291	1,508	19.0	

*In the case of those towns in which appreciable changes in population have recently taken place owing to war conditions, the birth and death rates shown in this statement are not accurate estimates.

Statement showing births and deaths from principal diseases in towns with a population of over 30,000 in the provinces of India and some of the Indian States for the week ending the 17th July 1948—*contd.*

Name of town	Mid-year estimated population (1948)	Births	Birth rate (annual)*	Deaths from :—							Total deaths (all causes)	Death rate (annual)**
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<i>Bihar</i>												
Return not received												
<i>Orissa</i>												
Berhampur	47,781	45	49.0	2	..	10	10.9	
Outtaok	80,813	64	40.0	12	4	..	35	22.4	
Puri	43,614	31	36.8	..	..	..	7	10	..	33	39.2
TOTAL	172,308	140	42.0	..	..	..	19	16	..	43	23.4
<i>West Bengal</i>												
Burdwan	79,990	14	9.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2.0
Asansol †												
Bankura	57,552	5	4.5	1	..	..	1	..	..	5	4.5
Midnapur	51,348	8	8.1	..	..	..	1	1	..	7	7.1
Hooghly Chinsura †												
Serampur	67,277	19	14.8	4	..	..	7	11	..	35	27.2
Champdani	36,577	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	7.1
Howrah	492,533	84	8.9	2	2	..	11	28	41	152	16.1	
Bally	65,100	5	4.0	..	1	..	1	1	..	7	5.6	
South Suburban	81,064	25	16.1	2	..	..	1	3	3	22	14.2
Tollygunj	83,615	5	3.1	1	..	..	2	..	..	5	3.1
Garden Reach	66,689	11	5.4	..	..	..	3	1	4	16	7.8
Budge Budge	38,415	8	10.9	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	4.1
Baranagar	67,211	23	17.9	..	..	..	2	4	3	16	12.4
Kamarhati†												
Titagarh	63,157	20	16.6	..	..	..	11	..	..	11	9.1
Naihati	50,480	7	7.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2.1
Bhatpara	140,562	37	13.8	1	..	..	7	1	6	50	18.6
Calcutta	2,801,979	50	0.9	19	7	..	100	93	156	752	14.0	
Krishnagar	37,685	28	38.8	..	..	..	2	1	2	12	16.6
Nabadwip	39,178	10	18.3	..	..	..	13	1	..	22	29.4
Berhampur	51,941	5	5.0	..	..	..	8	..	2	12	12.1
TOTAL	4,412,383	864	4.3	30	10	..	171	145	217	1,137	13.5	
<i>Central Provinces</i>												
Nagpur †												
Nagpur Civil Station †												
Wardha	34,797	11	16.4	..	..	..	5	1	..	6	8.9
Hinganghat	32,029	24	39.0	..	..	..	1	2	2	9	14.6
Jubbulpore	166,561	58	18.2	..	..	..	14	9	4	33	10.3
Saugor†												
Damoh†												
Khandwa	41,331	30	37.7	..	..	..	10	2	..	21	26.4
Burhanpur	61,262	74	62.8	8	3	..	27	..	4	54	45.8	
Itanpur	76,723	21	14.2	2	..	..	4	..	..	6	4.1
Bilaspur	41,919	23	28.5	5	..	..	4	1	..	18	22.3
Amraoti	73,074	48	34.2	..	..	..	4	2	8	32	22.8
Ellehpur†												
Yeotmal	30,654	32	54.3	..	..	..	2	1	3	16	27.1
Akola	73,513	56	39.6	..	2	..	12	6	1	54	38.2	
Ohanda	41,296	32	40.3	18	..	4	22	27.7	
TOTAL	673,159	409	31.6	15	5	..	103	24	26	271	20.0	

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Bombay Presidency												
Bombay	1,730,783	1,037	31.2	..	3	..	33	29	179	707	21.7	
Jalgaon	59,090	28	24.6	9	..	1	14	12.4	
Amalner	42,908	17	20.6	..	..	..	2	3	1	8	9.7
Bhusawal	42,483	13	15.9	..	..	..	1	1	3	6	7.3
Dhulia	63,318	28	23.0	..	..	..	4	1	4	15	12.3
Nasik	57,256	37	33.0	..	..	..	12	2	7	37	33.6
Malegaon	39,948	37	42.1	..	..	..	10	1	1	12	15.6
Bandra	94,229	61	33.7	..	..	..	3	2	8	33	18.2
Kurla	45,489	15	17.1	..	..	..	5	..	2	14	15.1
Kalyan	35,073	18	26.7	..	..	..	2	2	4	10	14.8
Surat	224,617	153	35.4	..	..	..	16	7	28	89	20.6
Broach	71,599	51	37.0	..	..	..	6	..	3	13	9.4
Nadiad	55,258	49	46.1	1	..	..	19	..	3	33	31.1
Ahmedabad	797,532	462	30.1	5	3	..	150	3	25	254	16.6	
Poona City	301,173	162	28.0	..	1	..	37	10	42	153	26.4	
Sholapur	253,845	224	45.9	..	..	..	16	19	53	141	28.9
Pandharpur † Barsi	40,141	20	25.9	..	..	..	8	1	6	32	41.5
Ahmednagar	93,213	48	30.5	5	..	..	1	3	5	28	23.0
Bijapur	55,729	50	46.6	..	..	..	2	..	2	18	16.8
Belgaum	73,096	24	17.1	..	..	..	4	2	2	20	14.2
Dharwar	53,191	20	19.6	..	..	..	1	..	..	14	13.7
Hubli	104,326	78	38.8	..	..	..	6	..	2	33	10.4
Gadag-Betgeri	63,932	35	20.3	..	..	..	14	1	3	27	22.8
Godhra	47,031	4	4.4	..	..	..	3	..	..	4	4.4
Satara	38,806	13	17.4	..	..	..	4	1	3	21	28.1
Parle Andheri	53,959	20	19.2	..	..	..	4	3	1	9	8.6
TOTAL	4,507,825	2,704	31.2	11	7	..	372	91	388	1,745	20.1	
Madras Presidency												
Vizagapatam	79,732	51	33.3	..	..	..	4	3	9	30	19.6
Vizianagram	56,919	43	30.3	..	..	..	2	2	..	23	21.0
Cocanada †												
Rajahmundry	82,660	80	50.3	..	..	..	3	5	3	36	22.6
Ellore	70,468	46	33.9	..	..	..	2	1	3	33	24.4
Bezwada	105,074	103	51.0	..	..	..	3	2	4	32	15.8
Masulipatan †												
Guntur	97,107	106	56.8	..	..	..	3	4	9	32	17.1
Tenali	45,083	31	35.8	..	..	..	2	1	3	15	17.3
Nellore	63,956	71	57.7	..	..	..	7	1	11	63	51.2
Madras	983,087	1,064	56.8	..	..	..	42	55	155	505	26.7
Conjeevaram	81,531	56	35.7	..	..	..	1	2	4	23	14.7
Aruppukottai	35,845	44	63.8	..	..	..	5	3	5	25	36.3
Cuddalore	61,790	49	41.2	..	..	..	..	4	6	24	20.2
Trichinopoly	171,628	134	40.5	..	..	..	3	6	12	62	18.8
Tanjore	70,030	61	45.3	..	..	..	2	2	3	31	23.0
Kumbakonam	70,447	58	42.8	..	..	..	..	2	4	31	22.9
Negapatam	56,171	38	35.2	1	1	2	16	14.8	
Mayavaram	33,242	18	28.2	10	15.6	
Madura	281,038	343	63.5	1	13	3	52	152	28.1	

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Madras Presidency—contd.												
Dindigul	65,559	46	36.5	.	.	.	1	3	3	23	18.3	
Virudhunagar.	35,644	50	72.9	.	.	.	3	8	2	22	32.1	
Palam Cotta	33,211	24	37.6	...	.	.	..	3	5	21	32.9
Srivilliputtar	36,299	38	54.4	...	.	...	..	4	2	22	31.5
Rajapalayam	51,862	41	41.1	..	..	..	3	4	4	19	19.1
Tuticorin	86,775	86	51.5	...	..	...	..	2	7	33	19.8
Tinnevely	65,316	57	46.8	...	..	...	..	6	8	44	36.1
Vellore	81,944	123	78.1	2	..	...	..	1	11	44	27.9
Tiruvannamalai	37,835	36	49.5	2	..	...	2	..	2	18	24.7
Ambur	37,186	32	44.7	..	.	..	1	...	2	6	8.4
Guddiyattam	38,523	21	28.3	..	..	..	1	1	2	10	13.5
Viniyambadi	37,397	9	12.5	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	7.0
Salem	149,884	87	33.6	..	..	..	2	1	9	39	13.5
Coimbatore	156,125	160	53.3	..	..	..	..	5	11	59	19.8
Erode	43,744	34	40.4	..	..	..	1	5	3	20	23.8
Tiruppur	44,128	40	47.1	..	..	..	..	4	3	4	16.5
Kurnool	52,539	46	45.5	.	1	.	2	..	1	14	13.9	
Bellary	62,439	59	49.1	..	..	..	..	2	8	21	17.5
Adoni	35,284	52	70.6	6	..	..	2	1	..	20	39.5
Mangalore	91,563	60	34.1	..	..	..	1	1	7	20	11.4
Calicut	146,211	232	82.5	..	..	..	7	4	14	106	37.7
Palghat	59,633	39	34.0	..	..	..	..	1	3	22	19.2
Cannanore	34,960	24	35.7	..	..	..	..	..	1	15	22.3
Tellicherry	40,701	29	37.1	..	..	..	..	1	0	20	25.6
TOTAL	3,968,757	3,831	50.2	11	1	..	119	154	404	1,786	23.3	
Assam												
Shillong	46,740	18	20.0	1	1	..	2	1	4	15	16.7	
Gauhati	35,318	10	14.7	1	...	..	2	...	..	10	14.7
TOTAL	82,058	28	17.7	2	1	..	4	1	4	25	15.8	
Ajmer-Merwara												
Ajmer	167,593	86	26.7	8	1	..	18	5	11	56	17.3	
Beawar	42,865	25	30.3	..	..	..	6	..	2	19	19.0
TOTAL	210,458	111	27.4	8	1	..	24	5	13	75	18.5	
B.—INDIAN STATES												
Jaipur State												
Jaipur City	195,226	81	21.5	.	...	.	20	4	7	106	28.2
Jodhpur State												
For w/o the 19th July 1948												
Jodhpur City	150,389	29	10.0	.	.	.	15	1	5	21	7.2	
Mysore State												
Bangalore City	304,052	203	50.1	...	..	...	6	16	25	125	21.5
Mysore City	182,366	102	29.1	...	.	...	6	3	2	52	14.8
Kolar Gold Fields	169,616	89	38.3	6	7	5	33	14.2	
Porbandar State												
Porbandar City	59,574	46	40.2	7	.	..	18	15.7	

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Cochin State													
Muttancheri	63,393	67	55.1	1	2	5	22	18.1		
Ernakulam	54,234	39	37.5	1	1	2	6	5.8		
Trichur	60,230	26	20.5	...	..	..	2	...	4	14	11.0	
Patiala State													
Patiala City	80,645	19	15.6	...	2	...	10	1	1	24	12.3		
Mewar State													
Udaipur City	69,717	10	7.5	1	...	...	1	..	..	7	5.2	
Baroda State													
Baroda City	179,665	139	40.3	...	...	...	88	4	6	68	19.7	
Nasari City	43,548	39	46.5	...	...	...	4	...	...	5	5.9	
Patlan City	41,477	41	51.4	...	...	...	20	...	1	22	27.5	
Cambay State													
Cambay City	37,156	13	18.1	...	...	...	8	2	2	12	16.1	
Kolhapur State													
Kolhapur City	110,023	90	42.5	...	...	...	7	...	8	43	20.3	
East Punjab State													
Malerkotla	34,403	78	117.0	...	...	...	4	2	43	49	74.1	
ARREAR RETURNS													
U. P.		For w/e											
Sambhal	19-6-48	60,920	8	6.9	...	1	...	12	...	2	27	23.2	
Sambhal	26-6-48	60,920	42	36.0	...	3	...	14	2	4	38	32.6	
Farrukhabad-cum-Fatehgarh. . .	..	61,839	43	36.4	...	...	...	24	2	8	51	42.3
Dohra Dun . . . . .	..	69,481	39	29.3	...	1	...	7	5	4	26	19.6
Sambhal	3-7-48	60,920	56	48.1	...	2	...	34	2	2	44	37.8	
Farrukhabad-cum-Fatehgarh . .	..	61,839	47	39.7	...	...	...	15	4	5	27	22.8
Dohra Dun . . . . .	..	69,481	50	37.6	2	...	...	4	4	5	25	18.8
Bareilly	10-7-48	214,516	154	37.5	...	...	...	32	12	30	87	21.2
Dohra Dun . . . . .	..	69,481	49	36.9	2	...	...	8	1	3	25	18.8
Bombay Presidency		For w/e											
Kurla	12-6-48	45,489	19	21.7	..	..	..	1	2	2	9	10.2
Ahmedabad	10-7-48	797,532	413	27.0	3	1	..	206	5	35	328	21.4	
West Bengal		For w/e											
South Suburban	17-1-48	81,064	25	16.1	...	1	..	2	3	3	10	10.3	
Kamarhati . . . . .	..	51,499	14	14.2	...	..	...	1	1	...	4	4.1
South Suburban	24-1-48	81,064	13	8.4	2	...	...	5	4	4	25	10.1
South Suburban	31-1-48	81,064	17	10.0	2	1	...	3	4	3	25	10.1	
Bankura	3-4-48	57,552	0	5.5	...	..	..	3	...	...	6	5.5
Kamarhati . . . . .	..	51,499	12	12.2	1	...	...	...	...	1	5	5.1
Bankura	10-4-48	57,552	3	2.7	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	4.5
Kamarhati . . . . .	..	51,499	8	8.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1.0
Hooghly-Chinsura	17-4-48	61,144	79	67.6	2	5	...	6	1	2	19	16.2	
Budge Budge . . . . .	..	38,415	6	8.2	...	1	..	...	1	...	4	5.4
Kamarhati . . . . .	..	51,499	3	3.0	2	...	...	..	...	1	4	4.1
South Suburban	24-4-48	81,064	8	5.2	8	...	..	3	2	1	21	13.5
Kamarhati . . . . .	..	51,499	7	7.1	4	..	..	...	...	...	6	6.1
Bankura	8-5-48	57,552	3	2.7	...	...	..	1	1	1	7	6.4
Howrah . . . . .	..	492,533	59	5.9	21	30	..	14	17	50	188	20.0
Kamarhati . . . . .	..	51,499	18	18.3	4	..	..	...	...	...	6	6.1
Hooghly-Chinsura	15-5-48	61,144	48	41.0	6	2	..	7	1	1	27	23.1	
Krishnanagar	22-5-48	37,635	3	4.2	2	1	...	...	...	...	5	6.9
Garden Reach	29-5-48	106,639	16	7.8	...	1	...	7	3	4	19	9.3	
Kamarhati . . . . .	..	51,499	16	16.2	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	2.0
Kamarhati	1-5-48	51,499	9	9.1	1	...	...	...	..	...	3	3.0

REMARKS

The vital statistics returns for week ending the 17th July 1948 for towns with a population of 30,000 and over have been received in respect of only 173 towns (156 towns out of 182 in India and 17 towns out of 30 in the Indian States). The estimated mid-year population of all these towns is 22,084,157. The births and deaths recorded in these towns numbered 12,102 and 7,550 representing birth and death rates of 28.5 and 17.8 per thousand of the population respectively.

(A) *India*:—The births and deaths recorded in towns of India were 10,901 and 6,923 giving birth and death rates of 28.0 and 17.8 per thousand of the population respectively. Nellore in Madras province was the only town which returned a high death rate of 51.2 per thousand of the population and this high death rate was not due to any of the specified causes.

There were 91 deaths from cholera and 53 deaths from smallpox. There was no death from plague during the week under review. The distribution of cholera deaths was as follows: Calcutta recorded 19; Burhanpur and Ajmer 8 each; Adoni 6; Agra, Bilaspur, Ahmedabad and Ahmednagar 5

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each; Serampur 4; Bahraich, Howrah, South Suburban, Raipur, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai 2 each; Batala, Lucknow, Kanpur, Gorakhpur, Farukhabad-cum-Fatehgarh, Etawah, Dehra Dun, Bankura, Tollygunj, Bhatpara, Nadiad, Madurai, Shillong and Gauhati one each. The towns that reported deaths from smallpox were Benaras and Gajette 7 each; Dehra Dun 6; Sambhal 5; Gorakhpur 4; Burhanpur, Bombay and Ahmedabad 3 each; Howrah and Akola 2 each; Amritsar, Lucknow, Kanpur, Agra, Allahabad, Ferozabad, Bally, Poona, Kurnool, Shillong and Ajmer one each.

(B) *Indian States*:—The births and deaths recorded in the Indian States were 1,201 and 627 representing birth and death rates of 33.7 and 17.6 per thousand of the population respectively. Malerkotla was the only town which had a high death rate of 74.1 per thousand of the population and this high death rate was mainly due to death from Respiratory diseases. Only one death from cholera was recorded in Udaipur city and 2 deaths from smallpox were recorded in Patiala city. There was no death from plague during the week under review.

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Cotton Press Returns

I —Statement of Cotton pressed in the Indian Union Provinces for the week ending the 26th November, 1947.

[Section 5(2) of the Cotton Ginning and Pressing Factories Act, 1924 as adapted by the Adaptation of Existing Indian Laws Order, 1947]

Province and Division or Block	No. of Bales Pressed				Districts included in the Block
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
BOMBAY—					
1. The Konkan and the Port of Bombay.	8,15	1,251	16,931 (a)	13,516	Thana, Kolaba and the Island of Bombay.
2. Gujarat . . . .	..	..	40	25	Ahmedabad, Kaira, Broach, Panch Mahals and Surat.
3. North Deccan . . .	543	310	1,165	808	West Khandesh, East Khandesh and Nasik.
4. East Deccan . . .	326	428	7,198	6,920	Ahmednagar, Solapur and Bijapur.
5. West Deccan and Southern Mahratta Country.	879	311	22,988	5,425	Poona, Satara, Ratnagiri, Belgaum, Dharwar and Kanara.
Total for the Province excluding the Konkan and Port.	1,748	1,049	(b) 31,301	13,176	NOTE.—Cotton pressed in the Konkan and Port Block is mainly re-pressed cotton or cotton waste and is, therefore, not included in the provincial and Grand Totals.
WEST BENGAL—					
The Province of West Bengal	54	..	(c) 1,430	1,011	All Districts in the Province.
UNITED PROVINCES—					
1. Upper Doab . . . .	..	..	..	..	Dehra Dun, Saharanpur, Meerut, Bulandshahr, Aligarh, Muzaffarnagar.
2. Middle Doab . . . .	..	..	..	..	Muttra, Farrukhabad, Etah, Agra, Mainpuri, Etawah.
3. Lower Doab and Bundelkhand.	..	..	..	..	Cawnpore, Fatehpur, Allahabad, Jhansi, Jalaun, Hamirpur, Banda.
4. Rohilkhand . . . .	..	..	..	..	Hardoi, Shahjahanpur, Bareilly, Moradabad, Budaun, Bijnor, Pilibhit, Naini Tal, Almora, Garhwal.
5. Rest of the Provinces .	..	..	..	..	Mirzapur, Benares, Jaunpur, Ghazipur, Azamgarh, Ballia, Gorakhpur, Basti, Gonda, Bahraich, Kheri, Sitapur, Unao, Lucknow, Bara Banki, Rae Bareilly, Sultanpur, Fyzabad, Partabgarh.
TOTAL . . . . .	..	..	(d)	..	
EAST PUNJAB—					
1. Ambala . . . . .	..	1,038	..	3,087	Hissar, Rohtak, Mogaon, Karnal, Ambala.
2. Jullundur . . . . .	..	224	..	374	Kangra, Hoshiarpur, Jullundur, Ludhiana.
3. Lahore* . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Amritsar, Gurdaspur.
4. Ferozepur . . . . .	..	2,151	..	10,630	Simla, Ferozepur.
TOTAL . . . . .	..	3,413	..	14,091	
CENTRAL PROVINCES—					
1. Jabulpore . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jubbulpore, Saugor.
2. Nerbudda . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Hoshangabad.
3. Nimar	508	557	586	570	Nimar.
4. Nagpur	1,102	2,403	1,429	4,217	Nagpur, Chanda, Wardha, Balaghat, Bhandara.
5. Satpura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Ohhindwara, Betul, Mandla.
6. Chhattisgarh . . . .	..	..	..	..	Drug, Raipur, Bilaspur.
TOTAL	1,610	2,960	2,015	4,796	
BERAR —					
Berar	16,012	12,591	(e) 32,966	26,727	Akola, Amgaoti, Buldana, Yestmal.
ASSAM —					
The Province of Assam .	..	..	..	..	All districts in the Province.
AJMER-MERWARA —					
Ajmer-Merwara	251	225	1,024	2,369	The whole of Ajmer-Merwara.
MADRAS —					
Madras†	4,129	(g) 1,397	(f) 91,988	(g) 23,797	The whole of the Province.
GRAND TOTAL	23,804	21,635	160,814	85,967	

NOTE.—There are no Cotton Pressing Factories in Delhi, Bihar and Orissa Provinces.

*The question of changing the name of this block is under consideration.

†For details see Statement III. The figures in columns 4 and 5 refer to pressings from 30th August 1947 and 31st August, 1948 respectively.

(a) Excludes 9,253 bales of Cotton Waste.

(b) Excludes 13,457 bales of Cotton Waste.

(c) Excludes 119 bales of Cotton Waste.

(d) Pressed 305 bales of Cotton Waste.

(e) Includes 241 bales not reported before.

(f) Includes 755 bales not reported before but excludes 9,170 bales of Cotton Waste.

(g) Revised.

Cotton Press Returns—*contd.*

II.—Statement of Cotton pressed in certain Indian States for the week ending the 28th November, 1947.

State	No. of Bales Pressed				State	No. of Bales Pressed			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year		During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Hyderabad	1,589	8,211	10,362	16,363	BOMBAY STATES—				
Baroda					Bhavnagar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Mysore	241	168	4,983	2,138	Junagadh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Gwalior	366	887	8,080	11,542	Dhrangadhra . . . . .	..	..	..	5,950
					Morvi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
EAST PUNJAB STATES—					Cutch . . . . .	..	..	..	1,506
Nabha . . . . .	..	2,151	..	2,151	Nawanagar . . . . .	..	..	10	286
Jind . . . . .	..	167	..	475	Wadhwan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Faridkot . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Gondal . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Patiala	201	2,383	201	9,547	Wankaner . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Malerkotla . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Porbandar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Limbdi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
RAJPUTANA STATES—					Radhanpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Mewar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Rajkot . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bikaner	(a)	990	..	1,650	Manawadar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jodhpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jasdan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Tonk . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sardargarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jaipur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Muli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhalawar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sayla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Shahpura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Wadhwan (Civil Station) . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kishanganh . . . . .	..	..	231	286	Katosan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kotah . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Lakhtar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bundi . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Palitana	(a)	..	..	..
Idar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Maliya . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Bantva Majnu . . . . .	..	..	..	..
CENTRAL INDIA STATES—					Rajpipla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Indore . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Chhota Udepur . . . . .	..	..	(b)	..
Bhopal . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Cambay . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Narsingarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sachin . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Alipura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Balasinar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jaora . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Vaktapur	(a)	..	..	..
Ratlam . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Gothda . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Dhar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Kolhapur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Barwani . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jamkhandi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhabua . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sangli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Mudhol . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Miraj (J. B.) . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Savanur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					GRAND TOTAL	2,397	14,957	23,867	51,893

(a) Statement not yet received.

(b) Pressed 166 bales of Cotton Waste.

III.—Statement of Cotton Pressed in the Province of Madras for the week ending 28th November, 1947.

Variety of Cotton	No. of Bales Pressed			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st February, 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5
Tinnevellies . . . . .	..	..	21,361	37,247
Nadam, Bourbon & Uppam . . . . .	..	..	1	400
Cambodias	3,127	694	(a) 117,786	93,244
Karunganni	178	50	17,107	40,538
Northerns	271	..	6,498	6,163
Westerns	432	652	(b) 66,408	63,151
Mungari . . . . .	..	..	1,950	575
Cocanadas	121	..	7,610	8,067
TOTAL	4,129	1,397	(c) 238,847	250,285

(a) Includes 723 bales not reported before.

(b) Includes 32 bales not reported before.

(c) Excludes 27,944 bales of cotton waste.

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Cotton Press Returns

I.—Statement of Cotton pressed in the Indian Union Provinces for the week ending the 5th December, 1947.

[Section 5 (2) of the Cotton Ginning and Pressing Factories Act, 1925, as adapted by the Adaptation of Existing Indian Laws Order, 1947]

Province and Division or Block	NUMBER OF BALES PRESSED				Districts included in the Block
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
BOMBAY—					
1. The Konkan and the Port of Bombay.	2,205	981	(a) 19,136	14,497	Thana, Kolaba and the Island of Bombay.
2. Gujarat . . . . .	..	..	40	25	Ahmedabad, Kaira, Broach, Panch Mahals and Surat.
3. North Deccan	1,875	1,044	3,040	1,850	West Khandesh, East Khandesh and Nasik.
4. East Deccan	620	147	7,818	7,067	Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur.
.. West Deccan and Southern Mahratta Country.	787	..	23,775	5,425	Poona, Satara, Ratnagiri, Bolgaum, Dharwar and Kanara.
Total for the Province excluding the Konkan and Port.	3,282	1,191	(b) 34,873	14,367	NOTE.—Cotton pressed in the Konkan and Port Block is mainly repressed cotton or cotton waste and is, therefore, not included in the provincial and grand totals.
WEST BENGAL—					
The Province of West Bengal.	32	258	(c) 1,462	1,269	All Districts in the Province.
UNITED PROVINCES—					
1. Upper Doab . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Dehra Dun, Saharanpur, Meerut, Bulandshahr, Aligarh, Muzaffarnagar.
2. Middle Doab . . . . .	..	160	..	160	Muttra, Farrukhabad, Etah, Agra, Mainpuri, Etawah.
3. Lower Doab and Bundelkhand.	..	..	..	..	Cawnpore, Fatehpur, Allahabad, Jhansi, Jalaun, Hamirpur, Banda.
4. Rohilkhand . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Hardoi, Shahjahanpur, Bareilly, Moradabad, Budaan, Bijnor, Pilibhit, Naini Tal, Almora, Garhwal.
5. Rest of the Provinces .	..	..	..	..	Mirzapur, Benares, Jaunpur, Ghazipur, Azamgarh, Ballia, Gorakhpur, Basti, Gonda, Bahraich, Kheri, Sitapur, Unao, Lucknow, Bara Banki, Rae Bareilly, Sultanpur, Fyzabad, Partabgarh.
TOTAL . . . . .	..	160	(d)	160	
EAST PUNJAB—					
1. Ambala . . . . .	..	1,453	..	4,540	Hissar, Rohtak, Gurgaon, Karnal, Ambala.
2. Jullundur . . . . .	..	..	..	374	Kangra, Hoshiarpur, Jullundur, Ludhiana.
3. Lahore* . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Amritsar, Gurdaspur.
4. Ferozepur	55	2,025	56	(i) 14,071	Suola, Ferozepur.
TOTAL	55	3,478	55	(i) 18,985	
CENTRAL PROVINCES—					
1. Jubbulporo . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jubbulpur, Saugor.
2. Nerbudda . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Hoshangabad.
3. Nimar	1,347	1,088	(e) 2,033	1,667	Nimar.
4. Nagpur	1,417	30,11	2,846	7,228	Nagpur, Chanda, Wardha, Balaghat, Bhandara.
5. Satpura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Chhindwara, Betul, Mandla.
6. Chhatbisgarh . . . .	..	..	..	..	Drug, Raipur, Bilaspur.
TOTAL	2,764	4,090	(f) 4,879	8,895	
BEHAR—					
Borari	19,093	20,393	(g) 54,877	47,120	Akola, Amraoti, Buldana, Yeotmal.
ASSAM—					
The Province of Assam .	..	..	..	..	All Districts in the Province.
AJMER-MERWARA—					
Ajmer-Merwara	97	334	1,091	2,703	The whole of Ajmer-Merwara.
MADRAS—					
Madrasi†	4,283	(i) 512	(h) 96,771	(i) 24,609	The whole of the Province.
GRAND TOTAL	29,570	30,725	193,808	118,108	

NOTE.—There are no Cotton Pressing Factories in Delhi, Bihar and Orissa Provinces.

* The question of changing the name of this Block is under consideration.

† For details see Statement III. The figures in columns 4 and 5 refer to pressings from 30th August 1947 and 31st August 1946 respectively.

(a) Excludes 9,697 bales of cotton waste.

(b) Excludes 14,394 bales of cotton waste.

(c) Excludes 1,130 bales of cotton waste.

(d) Pressed 413 bales of cotton waste.

(e) Includes 100 bales not reported before.

(f) Excludes 386 bales of cotton waste.

(g) Includes 2,818 bales not reported before but excludes 225 bales of cotton waste.

(h) Includes 500 bales not reported before but excludes 10,024 bales of cotton waste.

(i) Revised.

Cotton Press Returns—contd.

II.—Statement of Cotton pressed in certain Indian States for the week ending 5th December, 1947.

State	No. of Bales Pressed				State	No. of Bales Pressed			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September, 1947	During the corresponding period last year		During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September, 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Hyderabad	7,833	11,896	18,195	28,259	BOMBAY STATES—				
Baroda	143	95	5,126	2,233	Bhavnagar . . . . .	..	177	..	177
Mysore	343	784	8,423	12,326	Junagadh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Gwalior					Dhrangadhra . . . . .	..	..	..	5,950
					Morvi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Cutch . . . . .	..	..	..	1,506
EAST PUNJAB STATES—					Nawanagar . . . . .	..	38	10	322
Nabha . . . . .	..	1,115	..	3,266	Wadhwan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jind . . . . .	..	1,073	..	1,548	Gondal . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Faridkot . . . . .	..	595	..	2,525	Wankaner . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Patiala	576	4,608	777	14,155	Porbandar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Malerkotla . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Limbdi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Radhanpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
RAJPUTANA STATES—					Rajkot . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Mewar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Manawadar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bikaner	(a)	825	..	2,475	Jasdan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jodhpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sardargarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Tonk . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Muli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jaipur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sayla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhalawar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Wadhwan Civil Station . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Shahpura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Katosan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kishangarh . . . . .	..	..	231	285	Lakhtar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kotah . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Palitana	(a)	..	..	..
Bundi . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Maliya . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Idar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Bantva Majmu . . . . .	..	..	..	..
CENTRAL INDIA STATES—					Rajpipla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Indore . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Chhota Udepur . . . . .	..	..	(b)	..
Bhopal . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Cambay . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Narsingarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sachin . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Alipura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Balasiner . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Juora . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Vaktapur	(a)	..	..	..
Ratlam . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Gothda . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Dhar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Kolhapur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Barwani . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jamkhandi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhabua . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sangli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Mudhol . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Miraj (J.B.) . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Savanur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					GRAND-TOTAL	8,895	21,204	32,762	(c) 75,027

(a) Statement not yet received.

(b) Pressed 166 bales of cotton waste.

(c) Includes 1,930 bales not reported in the previous week's statement.

III.—Statement of Cotton pressed in the Province of Madras for the week ending 5th December, 1947.

Variety of Cotton	No. of Bales Pressed			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st February, 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5
Tinnevelly . . . . .	..	..	21,361	37,247
Nadam, Bourbon and Uppam . . . . .	..	..	1	400
Cambodius	1,726	599	119,512	93,834
Karunganni	296	..	17,483	40,838
Northern	54	..	6,552	6,163
Western	2,184	222	(a) 69,152	63,373
Mungari . . . . .	..	..	1,950	575
Cocanadas	23	..	7,633	8,667
Total	4,283	(c) 812	(b) 243,024	(c) 251,097

(a) Includes 500 bales not reported before.

(b) Excludes 28,798 bales of cotton waste.

(c) Revised.

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Cotton Press Returns

I.—Statement of Cotton pressed in the Indian Union Provinces for the week ending the 12th December, 1947.

[Section 5(2) of the Cotton Ginning and Pressing Factories Act, 1925 as adapted by the Adaptation of Existing Indian Laws Order, 1947].

Province and Division or Block 1	No. of Bales Pressed				Districts included in the Block 6
	During the week 2	During the corresponding week last year 3	Since 1st September 1947 4	During the corresponding period last year 5	
BOMBAY—					
1. The Konkan and the Port of Bombay.	1,408	1,496	20,544 (a) 40	15,993 25	Thana, Kolaba and the Island of Bombay.
2. Gujarat . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Ahmedabad, Kaira, Broach, Panch Mahals and Surat.
3. North Deccan	2,281	1,425	5,321	3,275	West Khandesh, East Khandesh and Nank
4. East Deccan	736	326	8,554	7,393	Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur
5. West Deccan and Southern Maharashtra Country.	1,283	265	25,058	5,690	Poona, Satara, Ratnagiri, Belgaum, Dhule and Kanara.
Total for the Province Excluding the Konkan and Port.	4,300	2,016	(b) 38,973	16,383	NOTE.—Cotton Pressed in the Konkan and Port Block is mainly repressed cotton or cotton waste and is, therefore, not included in the Provincial and Grant Totals.
WEST BENGAL—					
The Province of West Bengal	107	144	(c) 1,560	1,413	All Districts in the Province.
UNITED PROVINCES—					
1. Upper Doab . . . . .	..	57	..	57	Dehra Dun, Saharanpur, Meerut, Bulandshahr, Aligarh and Muzaffarnagar.
2. Middle Doab . . . . .	..	..	..	160	Muttra, Farrukhabad, Etah, Agra, Mainpuri, Etawah.
3. Lower Doab and Bundelkhand.	..	..	..	..	Cawnpore, Tatchpur, Allahabad, Jhansi, Jalaun, Hamirpur, Banda.
4. Rohilkhand . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Hardoi, Shahjahanpur, Bareilly, Moradabad, Bundam, Bijnor, Pilibhit, Nani Tal, Almorah, Gathwal.
5. Rest of the Province . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Mirzapur, Benares, Jaunpur, Ghazipur, Azamgarh, Ballia, Gorakhpur, Basti, Gonda, Bahraich, Kheri, Sitapur, Unao, Lucknow, Bara Banka, Rae Bareilly, Sultanpur, Fyzabad, Partabgarh.
TOTAL . . . . .	..	57	(d)	217	
EAST PUNJAB—					
1. Ambala . . . . .	..	1,394	..	5,934	Hissar, Rohtak, Gurgaon, Karnal, Ambala.
2. Jullundur . . . . .	..	950	..	1,324	Kangra, Hoshiarpur, Jullundur, Ludhiana
3. Lahore*	979	(l) 979	979	(l) 18,802	Amritsar, Gurdaspur.
4. Ferozepur	384	2,639	439	(k) 18,802	Simla, Ferozepur.
TOTAL	1,363	4,983	1,418	(k) 26,060	
CENTRAL PROVINCES—					
1. Jabulpore . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jabulpore, Saugor.
2. Nerbudda . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Hoshangabad.
3. Nimar	1,505	2,770	(e) 4,404	4,437	Nimar.
4. Nagpur	3,347	3,991	(f) 7,531	11,219	Nagpur, Chanda, Wardha, Balaghat, Bhandara
5. Satpura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Chhindwara, Betul, Mandla
6. Chhattisgarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Drug, Raipur, Bilaspur.
TOTAL	4,852	(k) 9,761	(g) 11,935	(k) 15,656	
BERAR—					
Berar	21,620	(k) 24,275	(h) 82,053	(k) 71,395	Akola, Amraoti, Buldana, Yavatmal.
ASSAM—					
The Province of Assam . . . . .	..	..	..	..	All Districts in the Province.
AJMER-MERWARA—					
Ajmer-Merwara	55	168	(i) 1,146	2,871	The whole of Ajmer-Merwara.
MADRAS—					
Madras †	4,398	(k) 784	(j) 101,169	(k) 25,393	The whole of the Province.
GRAND TOTAL	36,695	39,188	239,165	159,388	

NOTE.—There are no Cotton Pressing Factories in Delhi, Bihar and Orissa Provinces.

*The question of changing the name of this Block is under consideration.

†For details see Statement III. The figures in columns 4 and 5 refer to pressings from 30th August 1947 and 31st August 1946 respectively.

(a) Excludes 9,697 bales of cotton waste.

(b) Excludes 15,595 bales of cotton waste.

(c) Excludes 1,231 bales of cotton waste.

(d) Pressed 413 bales of cotton waste.

(e) Includes 866 bales not reported before.

(f) Includes 1,338 bales not reported before.

(g) Excludes 386 bales of cotton waste.

(h) Includes 6,458 bales not reported before but excludes 225 bales of Cotton Waste.

(i) Excludes 65 bales of cotton waste.

(j) Excludes 10,044 bales of cotton waste.

(k) Revised.

(l) Not yet available.

Cotton Press Returns -contd.

II.—Statement of Cotton Pressed in certain Indian States for the week ending 12th December, 1947.

NO. OF BALES PRESSED					NO. OF BALES PRESSED				
State	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year	State	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Hyderabad	12,696	13,765	30,891	42,024	BOMBAY STATES—				
Baroda	122	..	5,248	2,233	Bhavnagar . . . . .	..	103	..	280
Mysore	1,093	382	9,510	12,708	Junagadh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Gwalior . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Dhrangadhra . . . . .	..	..	..	5,950
EAST PUNJAB STATES—					Morvi . . . . .	..	..	..	1,506
Nabha	300	1,204	300	4,470	Cutch . . . . .	..	..	10	322
Jind	201	651	201	2,199	Nuwanagar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Faridkot . . . . .	..	595	..	3,120	Wadhwan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Patiala	871	7,505	1,648	21,660	Gondal . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Malerkotla . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Wankanor . . . . .	..	..	..	..
RAJPUTANA STATES					Porbandar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Mewar . . . . .	..	1,553	..	1,553	Limbdī . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bikaner	(a)	1,439	..	3,914	Radhanpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jodhpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Rajkot . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Tonk . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Manawadar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jaipur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jasdan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhalawar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sardargarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Shahpura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Muli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kishangarh . . . . .	..	..	231	285	Sayla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kotah . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Wadhwan Civil Station . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bundi . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Katosan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Idar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Lakhtar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
CENTRAL INDIA STATES—					Palitana	(a)	..	..	..
Indore . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Maliya . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bhopal . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Bantva Majmu . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Narsingarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Rajpipla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Alipura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Chhotā Udepur . . . . .	..	..	(b)	..
Jaora . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Camlay . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Ratlam . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sachin . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Dhar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Balasinar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Barwani	37	..	37	..	Vaktapur	(a)	..	..	..
Jhabua . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Gethda . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Kolhapur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Jamkhandi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Sangli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Mudhol . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Miraj (J. B.)	55	..	55	..
					Satanur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					GRAND TOTAL	15,375	27,197	48,137	102,224

(a) Statement not yet received
(b) Pressed 166 bales of cotton waste.

III.—Statement of Cotton Pressed in the province of Madras for the week ending 12th December, 1947.

Variety of Cotton	NO. OF BALES PRESSED			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st February 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5
Tinnevellies . . . . .	..	..	21,361	37,247
Nadam, Bourbon and Uppam . . . . .	..	..	1	400
Cambodyas	1,887	605	121,390	94,439
Karunganni	151	1	17,614	40,939
Northerns	222	..	6,774	6,163
Westerns	1,884	..	71,036	63,373
Mungari . . . . .	..	..	1,950	575
Cocanadas	254	178	7,887	8,845
TOTAL	4,398	(b) 784	(a) 248,022	(b) 251,881

(a) Excludes 29,418 bales of cotton waste (b) Revised.

DIRECTORATE OF ECONOMICS AND STATISTICS }
New Delhi, August 14, 1948.

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Cotton Press Returns

I.—Statement of Cotton pressed in the Indian Union provinces for the week ending the 19 th December 1947.

(Section 5 (2) of the Cotton Ginning and Pressing Factories Act, 1925 as adapted by the Adaptation of Existing Indian Laws Order, 1947)

Province and Division or Block	NO. OF BALES PRESSED				Districts included in the Block
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
BOMBAY—					
1. The Konkan and the Port of Bombay	1,532	1,570	(a) 22,076	17,563	Thana, Kolaba and the Island of Bombay.
2. Gujarat	28	..	88	25	Ahmedabad, Kaira, Broach, Panch Mahals and Surat.
3. North Deccan	3,563	2,930	8,884	6,205	West Khandesh, East Khandesh and Nasik.
4. East Deccan	479	624	9,033	8,017	Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur.
5. West Deccan and Southern Mahratta Country.	1,361	555	26,419	6,245	Poona, Satara, Ratnagiri, Belgaum, Dharwar and Kanara.
Total for the Province excluding the Konkan and Port.	5,431	4,109	(b) 44,404	20,492	NOTE.—Cotton pressed in the Konkan and Port Block is mainly repressed cotton or cotton waste and is, therefore, not included in the Provincial and Grand Totals.
WEST BENGAL—					
The Province of West Bengal	72	167	(c) 1,641	1,580	All Districts in the Province.
UNITED PROVINCES—					
1. Upper Doab . . . . .	..	..	..	57	Dehra Dun, Saharanpur, Meerut, Bulandshahr, Aligarh, Muzaaffarnagar.
2. Middle Doab . . . . .	..	..	..	160	Muttra, Farrukhabad, Etah, Agra, Mainpuri, Etawah.
3. Lower Doab and Bundelkhand.	..	..	..	..	Cawnpore, Fatehpur, Allahabad, Jhansi, Jalaun, Hamirpur, Banda.
4. Rohilkhand . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Hardoi, Shahjahanpur, Bareilly, Moradabad, Budaun, Bijnor, Pilibhit, Naini Tal, Almora, Garhwal.
5. Rest of the Provinces . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Mirzapur, Benares, Jaunpur, Ghazipur, Azamgarh, Ballia, Gorakhpur, Basti, Gonda, Bahraich, Kheri, Sitapur, Unao, Lucknow, Bara Banki, Rae Bareilly, Sultanpur, Fyzabad, Partabgarh.
TOTAL	..	..	(d)	217	
EAST PUNJAB—					
1. Ambala	98	1,416	98	(m) 7,502	Hissar, Rohtak, Gurgaon, Karnal, Ambala.
2. Jullundur . . . . .	..	790	..	(e) 2,114	Kangra, Hoshiarpur, Jullundur, Ludhiana.
3. Lahore *	214	(e) 1,103	1,103	..	Amritsar, Gurdaspur.
4. Ferozepur	1,061	2,580	1,500	(m) 22,414	Simla, Ferozepur.
TOTAL	1,373	4,786	2,791	(m) 32,030	
CENTRAL PROVINCES—					
1. Jubbulpore . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jubbulpore, Saugor.
2. Nerbudda . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Hoshangabad.
3. Nimar	3,051	2,769	(f) 8,781	7,206	Nimar.
4. Nagpur	3,431	3,468	(g) 12,798	14,687	Nagpur, Chanda, Wardha, Balaghat, Bhandara.
5. Satpura . . . . .	..	104	..	104	Chhindwara, Betul, Mandla.
6. Chhattisgarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Drug, Raipur, Bilaspur.
TOTAL	6,482	(m) 6,341	(h) 21,579	(m) 21,997	
BEHAR—					
Behar	26,766	(m) 20,257	(i) 121,589	(m) 91,652	Akola, Amraoti, Buldana, Yeotmal.
ASSAM—					
The Province of Assam . . . . .	..	..	..	..	All Districts in the Province.
AJMER-MERWARA—					
Ajmer-Merwara	378	522	(j) 1,524	3,393	The whole of Ajmer-Merwara.
MADRAS—					
Madras	3,959	765	(k) 105,295	26,158	The whole of the Province.
GRAND TOTAL	44,461	36,947	298,823	197,519	

NOTE.—There are no cotton pressing factories in Delhi, Bihar and Orissa Provinces.

*The question of changing the name of this block is under consideration.

†For details see statement III. The figures in columns 4 and 5 refer to pressings from 30th August 1947 and 31st August 1948 respectively.

(a) Excludes 10,408 bales of cotton waste.

(b) Excludes 17,133 bales of cotton waste.

(c) Excludes 1,276 bales of cotton waste.

(d) Pressed 488 bales of cotton waste.

(e) Not available.

(f) Includes 1,326 bales not reported before.

(g) Includes 1,836 bales not reported before.

(h) Excludes 772 bales of cotton waste.

(i) Includes 11,868 bales not reported before but excludes 225 bales of cotton waste.

(j) Excludes 65 bales of cotton waste.

(k) Includes 167 bales not reported before but excludes 11,779 bales of cotton waste.

(m) Revised.

Cotton Press Returns.—contd.

II. Statement of Cotton Pressed in certain Indian States for the week ending 19th December, 1947.

State	No. of Bales Pressed				State	No. of Bales Pressed			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year		During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Hyderabad	14,994	15,816	45,885	57,840	BOMBAY STATES—				
Baroda					Bhavnagar	368	248	368	528
Mysore	698	415	5,946	2,648	Junagadh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Gwalior	1,541	421	11,057	13,129	Dhrangadhra . . . . .	..	..	..	5,950
					Morvi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
EAST PUNJAB STATES—					Cutch . . . . .	..	1,266	..	2,772
Nabha	449	2,112	749	6,582	Nawanagar . . . . .	..	..	10	322
Jind	100	391	301	2,590	Wadhwan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Faridkot . . . . .	..	645	..	3,765	Gondal . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Patiala	1,279	6,175	2,927	27,835	Wankaner . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Malerkotla . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Porbandar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Limbdi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
RAJPUTANA STATES—					Radhanpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Mewar . . . . .	..	1,628	..	3,181	Rajkot . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bikaner	(a)	913	..	48,27	Manawadar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jodhpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jaedan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Tonk . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sardargarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jaipur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Muli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhalawar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sayla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Shahpura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Wadhwan Civil . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kishangarh . . . . .	..	..	231	285	Station . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kotah . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Katosan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bundi . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Lakhtar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Idar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Palitana	(a)	..	..	..
CENTRAL INDIA STATES—					Maliya . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Indore . . . . .	..	211	..	211	Bantva Majmu . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bhopal . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Rajpipla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Narsingarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Chhota Udepur . . . . .	..	..	(b)	..
Alipura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Cambay . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jaora . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sachin . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Ratlam . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Balasinar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Dhar . . . . .	..	4	..	4	Vaktapur	(a)	..	..	..
Barwani	342	551	379	551	Gothda . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhabua . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Kolhapur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Jamkhandi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Sangli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Mudhol . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Miraj (J. B.)	22	..	77	..
					Savanur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					GRAND TOTAL	19,793	30,796	67,930	133,020

(a) Statement not yet received. (b) Pressed 166 bales of cotton was te.

III. Statement of Cotton Pressed in the Province of Madras for the week ending 19th December, 1947.

Variety of Cotton	No. of Bales Pressed			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st February, 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5
Tinnevellies . . . . .	..	..	21,361	37,247
Nadam, Bourbon and Uppam . . . . .	..	..	1	400
Cambodius	1,158	525	122,557	(c) 94,359
Karunganni	192	5	17,806	40,843
Northerns . . . . .	..	..	6,774	6,163
Westerns	2,609	235	(a) 73,812	63,608
Mungari . . . . .	..	..	1,950	575
Cocanadas . . . . .	..	..	7,887	(c) 8,667
TOTAL	3,959	765	(b) 252,148	(c) 251,862

(a) Includes 167 bales not reported before.

(b) Excludes 30,553 bales of cotton waste.

(c) Revised.

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Cotton Press Returns

1. Statement of Cotton Pressed in the Indian Union Provinces for the week ending the 28th December, 1947.

[Section 5 () of the Cotton Ginning and Pressing Factories Act, 1925, as adapted by the Adaptation of Existing Indian Laws Order, 1947]

Province and Division or Block	NUMBER OF BALES PRESSED				Districts included in the Block
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year	
1	2	3	4	5	
BOMBAY—					
1. The Konkan and the Port of Bombay.	1,698	1,380	(a) 23,774	18,943	Thana, Kolaba and the Island of Bombay.
2. Gujarat	..	..	68	25	Ahmedabad, Kaira, Broach, Panch Mahals and Surat.
3. North Deccan	5,806	4,470	14,680	10,675	West Khandesh, East Khandesh, and Nasik.
4. East Deccan	1,361	257	10,794	8,274	Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur.
5. West Deccan and Southern Mahratta Country.	1,843	217	28,262	6,462	Poona, Satara, Ratna giri, Belgaum, Dharwar and adnd Kanara.
Total for the Province Excluding the Konkan and Port.	9,010	4,944	(b) 53,414	25,436	NOTE.—Cotton pressed in the Konkan and Port Block is mainly repressed cotton or cotton waste and is, therefore, not included in the Provincial and Grand Totals.
WEST BENGAL—					
The Province of West Bengal	220	185	(c) 1,861	1,715	All Districts in the Province.
UNITED PROVINCES—					
1. Upper Doab	..	287	..	344	Dehra Doo, Saharanpur, Meerut, Bulandshahr Ali-grah, Muzaffarnagar.
2. Middle Doab	..	..	..	160	Muttra, Farukhabad, Etah, Agra, Mainpuri, Etawah
3. Lower Doab and Bundelkhand.	..	..	..	..	Cawnpore, Fatehpur, Allahabad, Jhansi, Jalaun, Hamirpur, Banda.
4. Rohilkhand	..	..	..	..	Hardoi, Shahjahanpur, Bareilly, Moradabad, Budaun, Bijnor, Pillibhit, Naini Tal, Almora, Garhwal.
5. Rest of the Provinces	..	..	..	..	Mirzapur, Benares, Jaunpur, Gahzipur, Azamgarh, Ballia, Gorakhpur, Basti, Gonda, Bahraich, Kheri, Sitapur, Unao, Lucknow, Bara Banki, Rae Bareil, Sultanpur, Fyzabad, Partabgarh.
TOTAL	..	287	(d)	504	
EAST PUNJAB—					
1. Ambala	646	668	744	(m) 10,445	Hissar, Rohtak, Gurgaon, Karnal, Ambala.
2. Jullundur	..	1,085	..	3,209	Kangra, Hoshiarpur, Jullundur, Ludhiana.
3. Lahore*	596	(e)	1,789	(e)	Amritsar, Gurdaspur.
4. Ferozepur	1,499	3,515	2,999	(m) 27,973	Simla, Ferozepur.
TOTAL	2,741	5,278	5,532	(m) 41,627	
CENTRAL PROVINCES—					
1. Jabulpore	..	..	..	..	Jabulpore, Saugor.
2. Nerbudda	..	..	..	..	Hoshangabad.
3. Nimar	3,257	3,071	(f) 13,062	10,277	Nimar.
4. Nagpur	2,133	3,128	(g) 15,990	17,815	Nagpur, Chanda, Wardha, Balaghat, Bhandara.
5. Satpura	..	..	(h) 102	104	Chhindwara, Betul, Mandla.
6. Chhattisgarh	..	..	..	..	Drug, Raipur, Bilaspur.
TOTAL	5,390	(m) 6,199	(i) 29,154	(m) 28,196	
BERAR—					
Berar	27,232	(m) 24,377	(j) 150,958	(m) 116,029	Akola, Amraoti, Buldana, Yeotmal.
ASSAM—					
The Province of Assam	..	40	..	40	All Districts in the Province.
AJMER-MERWARA—					
Ajmer-Merwara	368	225	(k) 1,892	3,618	The whole of Ajmer-Merwara.
MADRAS—					
Madras*	3,262	(m) 17,402	(n) 108,591	(m) 27,560	The whole of the Province.
GRAND TOTAL	48,228	42,887	351,402	244,725	

NOTE.—There are no cotton pressing factories in Delhi, Bihar and Orissa Provinces.

*The question of changing the name [of this block] is under consideration.

†For details see statement III. The figures in columns 4 and 5 refer to pressings from 30th August 1947 and 31st August 1946 respectively.

(a) Excludes 10,408 bales of cotton waste.

(b) Excludes 18,706 bales of cotton waste.

(c) Excludes 1,557 bales of cotton waste.

(d) Pressed 507 bales of cotton waste.

(e) Not yet available.

(f) Includes 1,024 bales not reported before.

(g) Including 1,059 bales not reported before.

(h) Includes 102 bales not reported before.

(i) Excludes 772 bales of cotton waste.

(j) Includes 2,137 bales not reported before but excludes 225 bales of cotton waste.

(k) Excludes 207 bales of cotton waste.

(m) Revised.

(n) Includes 34 bales not reported before but excludes 12,495 bales of cotton waste.

Cotton Press Returns—*contd.*

II. Statement of Cotton Pressed in certain Indian States for the week ending 26th December, 1947.

State	NO. OF BALES PRESSED				State	NO. OF BALES PRESSED			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year		During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st September 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Hyderabad	15,130	17,349	61,015	75,189	BOMBAY STATES—				
Baroda					Bhavnagar	589	162	957	690
Mysore	343	256	6,289	2,904	Junagadh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Gwalior	1,160	794	12,217	13,923	Dhrangadhra . . . . .	..	..	..	5,950
					Morvi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
EAST PUNJAB STATES—					Cutch . . . . .	..	..	..	2,772
Nabha	227	123	976	6,705	Nawanagar . . . . .	..	4	10	326
Jind	200	326	501	2,916	Wadhwan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Faridkot . . . . .	..	656	..	4,421	Gondal . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Patiala	1,386	6,100	4,313	33,035	Wankaner . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Malerkotla	251	405	251	(a) 1,251	Porbandar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Limbdi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
RAJPUTANA STATES—					Radhaupur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Mewar . . . . .	..	1,233	..	4,414	Rajkot . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bikaner	(b)	429	..	5,256	Manawadar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jodhpur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Jasdan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Tonk . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sardargarh . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jaipur . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Muli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhalawar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Sayla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Shahpura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Wadhwan Civil Station . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kishangarh . . . . .	..	..	231	285	Katosan . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Kotah . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Lakhtar . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bundi . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Palitana	(b)	..	..	..
Idar . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Maliya . . . . .	..	..	..	..
CENTRAL INDIA STATES—					Bantva Majra . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Indore . . . . .	..	75	..	286	Rajpipla . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Bhopal . . . . .	..	166	117	106	Chhota Udepur . . . . .	..	..	(c)	..
Narsingarh	117	..	..	..	Cambay . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Alipura . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Suchin . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jaora . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Balesinor . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Ratlam . . . . .	..	..	..	..	Vaktapur	(b)	..	..	..
Dhar	339	138	339	142	Gothda . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Barwani	598	482	977	1,033	Kolhapur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
Jhabua	98	..	98	..	Jamkhandi . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Sangli . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Mudhol . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					Miraj (J. B.) . . . . .	..	..	77	..
					Savanur . . . . .	..	..	..	..
					GRAND TOTAL	20,438	28,698	88,368	162,564

(a) Includes 846 bales not reported in the previous week's statement.

(b) Statement not yet received.

(c) Pressed 166 bales of cotton waste.

III.—Statement of Cotton Pressed in the Province of Madras for the week ending 26th December, 1947.

Variety of Cotton	NO. OF BALES PRESSED			
	During the week	During the corresponding week last year	Since 1st February, 1947	During the corresponding period last year
1	2	3	4	5
Tinnevellics	344	2	21,705	(c) 37,248
Nadam, Bourbon and Uppam . . . . .	..	..	1	400
Cambodias	498	625	123,055	(c) 98,421
Karunganni	2	2	17,808	(c) 40,954
Northerns . . . . .	..	..	6,774	6,163
Westerns	2,001	773	(a) 75,847	64,381
Mungari	141	..	2,091	575
Cochanadas	276	..	8,163	(c) 8,916
TOTAL	3,262	(c) 1,402	(b) 255,444	(c) 255,058

(a) Includes 34 bales not reported before.

(b) Excludes 31,409 bales of cotton waste.

(c) Revised.

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